# Role Clarification for PI on Resident Scholar Project

There may be some occasional exceptions for PI, but in general this is what is expected as of 1 July 2016

| PI (Principal Investigator) | Other research preceptors or scholar mentors |
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| Has a Clinical Faculty Appt<br>> or = Clinical Assistant Professor<br><br>Has completed the annual COI module<br><br>Has made ethics submissions on UBC RISe in the past and has an active account.<br><br>Usually an established primary healthcare (or equiv) researcher.<br><br>Scholar faculty are default PI if no one else | No clinical faculty appointment required.<br><br>Often a family doctor, but may be from another field of expertise. |
| Has enough familiarity with METHODS and/or content of proposed scholar project to guide:<br>1. writing of excellent research question,<br>2. a full research proposal,<br>3. ethics and<br>4. final paper. | Has appropriate content/clinical knowledge to advise resident regarding.<br><br>May have very specific kind of support that is being offered to resident, e.g. writing in a second language |
| Is invited to be an author on the paper submitted. If not included as an author, is recognized in acknowledgements. | May be an author, or recognized in acknowledgements.<br><br>May help resident bring project to publication. |
| Has appropriate availability to provide the **TIME NEEDED** to support the resident in all phases of the project, e.g.:<br>1) Design of question – 1-10h<br>2) Writing of proposal 2-10h<br>3) Submission of ethics 2-10h<br>4) Navigation of implementing study – highly variable<br>5) Writing abstract 1-5h<br>6) Writing results and preparing presentation 5-15 hours<br>7) General support - variable | Can be available as requested for specific consultations.<br><br>Will usually amount to 5-6 hours per year.<br><br>Responds to emails/requests for help from residents within 24-72 hours |
| Attends Trial Run and/or Research Day and other presentations made by the resident.<br><br>Provides post-Research Day support to get project published. | Attends Trial Run and/or Research Day. |